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Pedestrian Crossing Signal Installation to Begin

Maine Medical Center contractors will begin work in early May to install a pedestrian crossing signal across St. John Street at D Street, having received city and state approvals.

The lights will stop vehicular traffic on St. John Street, allowing pedestrians to cross at the intersection of D Street. The lights are similar to new ones installed by the city recently on outer Congress Street near Lassell Street.

After the red lights deactivate and traffic resumes, the crossing won’t activate again for at least 10 seconds to allow for traffic flow.

Work will need to be done on the existing traffic signal equipment that was installed when the garage was built, but never activated. Work will continue through May and the new signals are expected to be activated and functioning in June.